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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF ASTORIA NATIONAL BANK

at Astoria, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business, June 9, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$310,551 85
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,960 99
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	750 00
Bonds securities, etc.	46,253 60
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	2,500 00
Other real estate owned	10,330 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	4,913 34
Due from state banks and bankers	6,179 79
Due from approved reserve agents	131,433 22
Checks and other cash items	2,231 69
Notes of other national banks	990 60
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	849 67
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, Viz:	
Specie	\$72,968 50
Legal tender notes	1,350 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent circulation)	625 00
Total	\$610,392 56

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	16,956 74
National bank notes outstanding	11,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	\$261,373 28
Demand certificates of deposit	53,518 45
Time certificates of deposit	207,044 09
Total	\$610,392 56

State of Oregon, county of Clatsop, ss:
 I, J. E. Higgins, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 J. E. HIGGINS, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of June, 1904.
 GEO. C. FULTON, Notary Public.
 Correct—Attest:
 GEO. H. GEORGE,
 GEORGE W. WARREN,
 L. MANSUR.
 Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF First National Bank

OF ASTORIA,
 at Astoria, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business, June 9, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$342,435 64
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,590 08
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	72,700 00
Other real estate owned	6,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	4,832 61
Due from state banks and bankers	76,130 37
Due from approved reserve agents	125,358 40
Checks and other cash items	65 52
Notes of other national banks	1,625 00
Nickels and cents	334 37
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, Viz:	
Specie	\$120,700 00
Legal tender notes	110 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent circulation)	120,810 00
Total	\$768,406 39

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	23,073 17
National Bank notes outstanding	12,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	\$505,103 62
Demand certificates of deposit	127,206 60
Certified checks	518 00
Total	\$768,406 39

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss:
 I, S. S. Gordon, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 S. S. GORDON, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of June, 1904.
 V. BOELLING, Notary Public.
 Correct—Attest:
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 GEO. C. FLAVEL.
 Directors.

ACCIDENT AT CIRCUS

Many Are Injured by Collapse of Tent and Seats During Performance in Chicago.

BOYS CUT THE PROPS

During Excitement Treasurer of the Show Disappeared With All Available Cash.

Chicago, June 18.—Nearly 100 people have sunk in a struggling, yelling mass through splintered board in a collapse of a reserved section of seats during the performance of a circus here. It is known that one man, six women and two children were seriously hurt, and it is supposed that scores more were injured whose names were not reported to the police.

The panic among the 2000 people in the tent was intensified by the plunging of two horses that broke from the ring in which they were performing and ran into the crowd. During the excitement the treasurer disappeared with over \$600 of the show's money. It is supposed the accident was due to the removal of the back props outside the tent by boys. The side props were found to have been broken off and some of the were rotten.

MARKET IS BROADER.

Shows Brighter Outlook in Financial Circles.

New York, June 17.—The stock market has been broader and more active this week, but fluctuations have not carried prices far from last week's level. The proposition to authorize \$100,000,000 of 7 per cent preferred Southern Pacific stock and to issue \$40,000,000 to stockholders at par, has been the leading event of the week in financial affairs. An unsettled feeling has followed and opinion is much confused as to the merits of the plan and the results to be expected. Crop conditions were favorable and kept the undertone firm. Railroad traffic and ornitnarde conditions were not satisfactory and were a drag upon the market. Great improvement in the investment demand was reported as a consequence of the redundancy of money.

Making the Deaf Hear.

Dr. Marage of Boug la Reine, France, has made experiments on developing the hearing of deaf mutes, and his results have been communicated to the Academie de Medicine. Twenty-four stone deaf children were divided by lot into two parts and those of one group were submitted every day to the vibrations of a "vowel siren" which he has invented for this "massage" of the tympanum or drum of the ear. At the end of six weeks all the subjects could hear sounds of musical instruments for the first time, three heard phrases spoken near the ear and two heard conversation carried on over a yard distant in the ordinary voice. The siren also enables the hearing to be measured with precision.

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